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<u>AMENDMENT B</u>

Sir:

In response to the Office Action in the above-identified patent application dated June 7, 2006, kindly enter the following AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS, and consider the accompanying REMARKS.

The AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are set forth beginning on page 2 of this AMENDMENT B.

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